

SHROPSHIRE CYCLING CLUBS ASSOCIATION

(Formed 1973)



Rules of the Association

1. The Association shall be called: **The Shropshire Cycling Clubs Association**
2. The object of the Association shall be to promote County Championships, also to create greater liaison between clubs in **SHROPSHIRE**.
3. The Association shall affiliate annually to **CTT (Cycling Time Trials) cyclingtimetrials.org.uk**
4. Membership shall be open to clubs within the **COUNTY** affiliated to the National Bodies, and also to private members aged 16 and over with a permanent address in **SHROPSHIRE** if they belong to a non-SCCA affiliated club. Riders with a permanent address in **SHROPSHIRE** can also affiliate to SCCA directly as a first claim member and enter events as such. Points, medals and trophies will be awarded on the same basis to Private and First Claim Members as for those affiliating via a member club, excepting the Top Club Award where points gained by Private Members and First Claim Members shall be excluded.

Exceptionally any other rider can be approved as an honorary member by the SCCA Committee regardless of where they live at any meeting. They will not pay a fee and rides will count for all purposes except the Top Club Award.

Applications for Club membership will also be considered from Clubs based in neighboring Counties, but only where no suitable alternative Association or where potential for an Association is judged to exist. Acceptance will be subject to a majority vote by existing member Clubs at any meeting and will be based upon individual merit. All such acceptances will initially be provisional until the next AGM and subject to review and acceptance for full membership at that time.

5. Second claim members of affiliated clubs shall be allowed to compete in the name of their second claim club in **SCCA confined events**, providing they live within the **County** boundary and that their first claim club is not eligible for **SCCA** membership.
6. The management of the Association shall consist of:

Chair

Secretary

Treasurer

Marshalling Secretary

Marshalling Coordinators

Delegates from each affiliated club, but a maximum of two counting votes per club. The Chairman shall abstain, but in the event of a drawn vote shall have a casting vote.

The Association will additionally offer the honorary post of President to a long-standing rider or official who has helped the Association considerably in the past. The post shall be held as long as the holder wishes and can be resigned at any time. The committee will decide on suitable candidates to offer any vacancy to.

7. The **SCCA** financial year shall be: 1st. January to 31st. December
8. The **Annual General Meeting** shall be held before the end of December.
9. Membership fee:

Clubs	£20:00 annually
Private Members and 1st claim members	£ 5:00 annually

Subscriptions and rules are to be reviewed at the AGM each year.

Clubs and their member riders will only be eligible to gain points in any series or medals in any Championship event if the annual membership fee has been paid. Membership will be considered as lapsed if not renewed by 31st January of the year following last subscription.

10. Counting events for the coming season will be approved at the AGM the previous year.
11. Points in both the Shropshire Championship Points Series and the Inter-Club Series shall be limited to the best 12 results from counting rounds. Points in the 2-Up Series and Hill Climb Series Series shall be limited to the best 5 or 6 results from counting rounds depending on number of events. All points scored in the Shropshire Championship Points Series excepting Private Members per Rule 4) will count towards the Top Club Award.
12. SCCA Private Members and 1st Claim members are required to marshal or help put on at least one SCCA counting event in each year to qualify for points as reasonably required by the SCCA Committee. Failure to marshal or help means forfeiture of all points and/or awards earned in that season.
13. Cash prizes will not be awarded to Tandem pairs in SCCA Open events if there are less than two pairs competing. Medals will however be awarded to members where applicable.
14. Clubs putting on events in any of the County Series agree to submit a race result to the SCCA Secretary no later than 24 hours after each event to allow calculation of points. The result shall include rider's name, club, category, race time, age (to allow calculation of Veteran's points from standards where applicable) and bike type (TT/RB).
15. Shropshire Championship Points Series events shall comprise all Open events put on by member clubs, plus events run by non-SCCA clubs using courses at least partially on Shropshire roads. SCCA BAR counters will be a sub-set of all standard distance events applicable for a BAR category (identified in Rule 18) from this selected list.
16. Inter-Club, 2-Up and Hill Climb events will only comprise events run by member clubs and shall be nominated by each club as County level counter(s) by negotiation with SCCA Committee.
17. The Shropshire 10 mile Championship shall rotate around member clubs annually at the invitation of the SCCA Committee. 25, 50 and 100 mile Championships are identified in Rule 18
18. Trophies to be awarded annually and how to win them are identified below. The Committee will

modify criteria as required due to changing circumstances, introduce new competitions as agreed by the committee from time to time, and add trophies where gaps are recognized and either funds allow or trophy donations are received.

Trophy	How To Win
Cliff Ash BAR Trophy	Highest average speed in any approved event over 25, 50 & 100 miles
WOMEN'S BAR	Highest average speed in any approved event over 10, 25 & 50 miles
JUNIOR BAR	Highest average speed in any approved event over 10 & 25 miles
VETERANS BAR	Highest aggregate Vets standard in approved events over 25, 50 & 100 miles.
Shropshire Championship Shield	Rider gaining the most points over Best 12 rounds in the Shropshire Championship Points Series
Buz Hughes Shield	U-21 rider gaining the most points over Best 12 rounds in the Shropshire Championship Points Series
Shropshire Women's Championship Shield	Woman gaining the most points over Best 12 rounds in the Ladies Shropshire Championship Points Series
Shropshire Veterans Championship Shield	Veteran gaining the most points over Best 12 rounds in the Veterans Shropshire Championship Points Series
Shropshire Junior Championship Shield	Junior gaining the most points over Best 12 rounds in the Junior Shropshire Championship Points Series
Inter-Club Trophy	Rider gaining the most points over Best 12 rounds in the Inter-Club Series
Women's Inter-Club Trophy	Woman gaining the most points over Best 12 rounds in the Inter-Club Series
Veteran's Inter-Club Trophy	Veteran on Standard gaining the most points over Best 12 rounds in the Inter-Club Series
Junior Inter-Club Trophy	Junior gaining the most points over Best 12 rounds in the Inter-Club Series
The Gordon Davies Trophy	Fastest male rider in the SCCA 10 mile Championship
The Gordon Davies Women's Trophy	Fastest woman rider in SCCA 10 mile Championship
The Alan Roberts Junior Trophy	Fastest junior rider in SCCA 10 mile Championship
Freeston Trophy	Fastest rider in SCCA 25 mile Championship
Brian and Gill Morrison Trophy	Fastest woman in SCCA 25 mile Championship
The Jack Pitchford Trophy	Fastest rider under the age of 21 in the 25 mile Championship
50 mile Trophy	Fastest Rider in the Mid Shropshire Wheelers 50 mile event
Women's 50 mile Trophy	Fastest woman in the Mid Shropshire Wheelers 50 mile event
Jim Heath Trophy	Fastest veteran on standard in Mid-Shropshire Wheelers 50 mile event
Jack Parker 100 mile Trophy	Fastest Rider in the SCCA 100 mile event
Women's 100 mile Trophy	Fastest woman in the SCCA 100 mile event
Presidents Trophy	Rider riding most in Friction Series. Tie decided by SB Series rides then by fastest longest common distance
Hill Climb Trophy	Rider gaining the most points over Best 5 or 6 rounds in the Hill Climb Series
Women's Hill Climb Trophy	Woman gaining the most points over Best 5 or 6 rounds in the Women's Hill Climb Series
Veterans Hill Climb Trophy	Veteran gaining the most points over Best 5 or 6 rounds in the Veteran's Hill Climb Series
Juniors Hill Climb Trophy	Junior gaining the most points over Best 5 or 6 rounds in the Junior Hill Climb Series
Road Race Trophy	Highest placed SCCA member in the SSSCRRL
2-Up Trophies	Highest points tally over the best 5 or 6 rounds in the SCCA 2-Up Series with same partner
Women's 2-Up Trophies	Highest points tally by a Women's team over the best 5 or 6 rounds in the SCCA 2-Up Series with same partner
Mixed Team 2-Up Trophies	Highest points tally by a mixed team over the best 5 or 6 rounds in the SCCA 2-Up Series with same partner
John Farr 4-Up Shield	Fastest affiliated team in the SCCA 4-Up composed of riders from same club
Women's 4-Up Trophy	Fastest affiliated team in the SCCA 4-Up composed entirely of women from the same club
Road Bike 4-Up Trophy	Fastest affiliated team in the SCCA 4-Up composed of riders from same club all using Road Bikes
Top Club Award	Team gaining the cumulative highest points in the Shropshire Championship Points Series